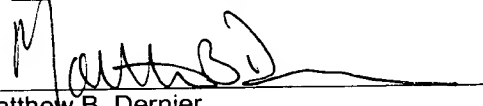




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IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 17 and 25 without prejudice.

CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS:

9. (Twice Amended) A data reception device designed to receive wirelessly transmitted digital signals, comprising:
software detecting means for detecting operating system software in said received digital signals in an ordinary receiving mode, said operating system software being multiplexed

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